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Applicant(s): Jay S. Walker, et al.

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For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR ALLOCATING BUSINESS TO ONE OF A
PLURALITY OF SELLERS IN A BUYER DRIVEN ELECTRONIC
COMMERCE SYSTEM

Commissioner for Patents
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AMENDMENT/RESPONSE ACCOMPANYING R.C.E. (37 C.F.R. §1.114)

Sir:

Applicants submit herewith a Request for Continued Examination and this Amendment, responding to the Final Office Action dated October 11, 2006. Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the instant application, in view of the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 12 of this paper.